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JACKSTEIT HOUSE
Havre de Grace, Md.

c. 1850

The Jacksteit House is a two and a half story Federal style frame dwelling on a random rubble foundation; it is four bays wide. The house has a large fireplace with a raised hearth in the basement. The front of the house has an unobstructed view of the Susquehanna River as it flows into the Chesapeake Bay.

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST

INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC

AND/OR COMMON

Jacksteit House

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

814 Market St.

6

CITY, TOWN

Havre de Grace

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

VICINITY OF

STATE

Md.

COUNTY

Harford

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY

☐ DISTRICT☒ BUILDING(S)☐ STRUCTURE☐ SITE☐ OBJECT

OWNERSHIP

☐ PUBLIC☒ PRIVATE☐ BOTH

PUBLIC ACQUISITION

☐ IN PROCESS☐ BEING CONSIDERED

STATUS

☒ OCCUPIED☐ UNOCCUPIED☐ WORK IN PROGRESS

ACCESSIBLE

☐ YES: RESTRICTED☐ YES: UNRESTRICTED☒ NO

PRESENT USE

☐ AGRICULTURE☐ COMMERCIAL☐ EDUCATIONAL☐ ENTERTAINMENT☐ GOVERNMENT☐ INDUSTRIAL☐ MILITARY☐ MUSEUM☐ PARK☒ PRIVATE RESIDENCE☐ RELIGIOUS☐ SCIENTIFIC☐ TRANSPORTATION☐ OTHER**4 OWNER OF PROPERTY**

NAME

Dr. Berthold Jacksteit

Telephone #: 939-1533

STREET & NUMBER

814 Market St.

CITY, TOWN

Havre de Grace

VICINITY OF

Md. 21078, zip code

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE

REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Harford County

Liber #:

Folio #:

STREET & NUMBER

Main St.

CITY, TOWN

Bel Air

STATE

Md.

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

DATE

☐ FEDERAL ☐ STATE ☐ COUNTY ☐ LOCALDEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION**CONDITION**☐ EXCELLENT☐ GOOD☒ FAIR☐ DETERIORATED☐ RUINS☐ UNEXPOSED**CHECK ONE**☐ UNALTERED☒ ALTERED**CHECK ONE**☐ ORIGINAL SITE☐ MOVED DATE _____**DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE**

814 Market St. is a two and a half story, four bay (on the second floor) wide frame Federal dwelling on a low lighted stone basement. Rectangular in shape, the house is a single family residence in the process of renovation. It faces east on Market St. with an unobstructed view across an empty lot to the Susquehanna River emptying into the Chesapeake Bay. The house is covered with asbestos shingles, painted white.

The house has a brick stoop on the front and north elevations, and a two story porch with fence railing and square pillars is on the rear.

Windows are spaced evenly on the facade. Throughout the house they have 6/6 light double hung sash. The upper sashes of the dormers are arched.

The present main entrance is in the center bay front elevation. Both the plain pilasters and pedimented hood framing the door (modern) are recent additions. In the center of the north elevation is a door with almost identical framing to that on the front; it has a door with two horizontal panels, having glass in the upper half.

The house has an asphalt shingled gable flank roof with pedimented dormers on the front. A large brick chimney, having new brick on the east side, is on the south end of the roof. The owners believe there was a chimney on the north end also. The roof has overhanging eaves with exposed rafters.

Interior: The house has been altered considerably and the owners feel that it was a double house not too long ago and perhaps originally. In the attic, there are hand hewn beams, charred and supported by 2' x 4's. Marks of cross beams are visible in the charred beams which give evidence for a fire. The south wall of the basement retains a cooking fireplace with a raised hearth and a rectangular opening. Above the basement fire place, on the first floor is a fireplace with a small rectangular opening, the brick around it having been recently exposed and repointed.

A spacious yard is at the rear of the house.

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8 SIGNIFICANCE

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PERIOD	AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
<input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS	<input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE	<input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION
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		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION		

SPECIFIC DATES early to mid 19th BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

814 Market St., a two and a half story frame house built in a vernacular Federal style, appears to be one of the oldest houses on Market St. It has a random rubble foundation, a cooking fireplace in the basement and the roof, probably replaced after a fire, has pedimented dormers on it.

Although the history of the house is not known, the name Day appears at the site on a 1858 map of Harford County. Finally, the site of the house is important; it is one of the very few in Havre de Grace with a an unobstructed view of the Susquehanna River as it flows into the Chesapeake Bay.

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9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

Herrick Map of Harford County - 1858

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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY _____

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE

COUNTY

STATE

COUNTY

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE Marion Morton- Historic Sites Surveyor

ORGANIZATION Maryland Historical Trust

DATE May, 77

STREET & NUMBER 21 State Circle

TELEPHONE

CITY OR TOWN Annapolis

STATE Md.

The Maryland Historic Sites Inventory was officially created by an Act of the Maryland Legislature, to be found in the Annotated Code of Maryland, Article 41, Section 181 KA, 1974 Supplement.

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RETURN TO: Maryland Historical Trust
The Shaw House, 21 State Circle
Annapolis, Maryland 21401
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Land Records-Jacksteit House

HDC 926 627 May 17, 1973
Grantor: Charles B. Osborn III for Inez Osborn
Grantee: Dr. Berthold Jacksteit

JAR 155 329 April 18, 1917
Grantor:
Grantee: Henry Amoss Osborn at Sherrif's sale

ALJ 30 278
Grantor: Amos Spencer May 16, 1874
Grantee: John Spencer

WD 16 50 March 1, 1865
Grantor: Israel Allen
Grantee: Amos Spencer
\$3,000 for two parcels

WG 13 280 Oct. 4, 1862
Grantors: Alfred Cousins and Mercy, his wife
Grantee: Israel Allen, Senior
lots 476 and 483

WG 11 251 Sept. 6, 1859
Grantors: Jacob Hoke and Anne B. Hoke
Grantee: Alfred Cousins
two lots, 476 and 483

ALJ 8 31 August 21, 1856
Bond between Jacob Hoke and Israel and Grafton Day
\$850.00 \$4.00 yearly ground rent



HAVRE DE GRACE, MD.
SE/4 HAVRE DE GRACE 15' QUADRANGLE
N3930-W7600/7.5

1953
PHOTOREVISED 1970
AMS 5763 II SE-SERIES V633

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Hauke de Grace

S.E. Elev.

Marion Norton
5/1977



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S.W. Elee.

Marion Morten
5/1977